OPTIONAL STATE SUPPLEMENTATION

STATUTORY BASIS

FOR PAYMENT Article XXV of the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma.

EFFECTIVE DATE January 1, 1974.

ADMINISTRATION¹ Department of Human Services (administered through county

offices of State agency).

PASSALONG In compliance by the method of total expenditures.

SCOPE OF Optional supplement provided to needy aged, blind, and disabled COVERAGE

persons living independently. Blind and disabled children are

eligible for supplementation.

RECOVERIES, LIENS, AND

ASSIGNMENTS None.

RELATIVE

RESPONSIBILITY None.

INCOME For earned income, no disregards in addition to the Federal DISREGARDS income disregards; for unearned income, no income disregarded.

RESOURCE Excluded are: 1) a home which is not producing income; 2) the LIMITATIONS

value of essential household equipment; 3) the value of original Indian allotments, land purchased from allotment proceeds, and land purchased from funds granted the Indian in lieu of original allotment, provided the land is held in trust for the Indian and is held by the original allottee; 4) the face value of life insurance policies up to \$1,500 per person, or prepaid funeral contracts when

recipient has signed an irrevocable contract up to \$6,000. A

maximum reserve is established which indicates the largest equity a recipient can hold in one or more non-excluded resources, in

addition to his home, and still be considered in need:

- Eligible individual - \$2,000

- Man and wife - \$3,000

State supplementation program known as aid to the aged, blind, and totally and permanently disabled (State AABD). Mandatory minimum supplementation is administered by the same agency as optional supplementation.

RESOURCE When a client holds total resources which exceed the allowance

LIMITATIONS (CON.) reserve, the client is not considered to be in need.

PLACE OF County offices of the Department of Human Services or

APPLICATION physician's offices.

FUNDING Assistance: State funds.

Administration: State funds.

INTERIM

.ASSISTANCE State does not participate

PAYMENT LEVELS²

Combined Federal/State State supplementation

<u>Code Living arrangements</u>

<u>Individual Couple</u>

<u>Individual Couple</u>

Living independently \$547.00 \$847.00 \$53.00 \$106.00

STATE ASSISTANCE FOR SPECIAL NEEDS

State does not provide assistance for special needs.

MEDICAID

ELIGIBILITY:

CRITERION State guidelines.

DETERMINED BY State.

MEDICALLY NEEDY

PROGRAM Program for the aged, blind, and disabled medically needy.

UNPAID MEDICAL The Social Security Administration does not obtain this

EXPENSES information.

² Unless otherwise stated, payment levels apply equally to aged, blind, and disabled.